City of Carlsbad 2013-2014 Annual Funding Plan for Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program and HOME Investment Partnership (HOME) Program

Notice of Public Hearing

The citizens of Carlsbad and other interested parties are hereby notified that Carlsbad's City Council will hold a public hearing on **Tuesday**, **April 2**, **2013 at 6:00 pm** in the Council Chambers located 1200 Carlsbad Village Drive to accept public comments on the needs of lower income persons in Carlsbad for development of the City's CDBG/HOME Program's 2013-2014 Annual Funding Plan. Public comments will also be received on proposals submitted for funding through the City's 2013-2014 CDBG/HOME Program. The City has approximately \$631,000 available for allocation to eligible CDBG projects and approximately \$146,000 for allocation to eligible HOME projects.

The City of Carlsbad is committed to using CDBG/HOME funds to finance projects/services that provide direct benefit to lower income residents. To develop a CDBG/HOME program that meets the needs of the low and moderate-income population, the City of Carlsbad requests assistance from members of the community. Citizen participation is critical to the success of the Carlsbad CDBG/HOME program. Therefore, the City invites all community members to consider the needs of lower income persons within Carlsbad, to attend the public meetings, and to provide comments on the housing and community development needs of lower-income persons as part of the development of a 2013-2014 Annual Plan for the program. Public comments are also requested on the various proposals that have been submitted for funding under Carlsbad's 2013-2014 CDBG/HOME Program. Those proposals selected for funding will be identified within the Annual Plan as the activities the City will pursue in the upcoming year to meet the needs of lower income Carlsbad residents. The City has received a total of 18 proposals for CDBG/HOME funding. application period for 2013-2014 funds has ended. Copies of all proposals are on file in the Housing and Neighborhood Services Department.

Persons who have questions or comments regarding the City of Carlsbad's CDBG/HOME Program or who would like more specific information on the proposals submitted for 2013-2014 CDBG/HOME funding consideration and those being recommended for funding, please contact the City's CDBG/HOME Administration staff at (760) 434-2818.

Persons in need of translators or other special services should contact the City Manager's Office at (760) 434-2821.

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